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PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**PATENT APPLICATION**

Applicants: Mui, et al.

Case: 8327/ETCH/SILICON

Serial No.: 10/690,318

Filed: October 21, 2003

Examiner: Not yet assigned

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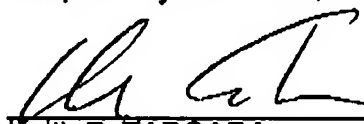
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